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## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STANLEY & CO., 80, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES, HENDY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL DRAKE & CO., 180 & 184, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE:—LEON DE ROBERT, 19, Rue Montevideo, Paris.

NEW YORK:—ANDREW WEND, 183, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:—GORDON & GOTH, Melbourne and Sydney.

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## Banks.

### ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3% per annum.

" 6 " " 4 " "

" 12 " " 5 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

### CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL.....£200,000.

RESERVE FUND.....£100,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in HONGKONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

On Current Accounts, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " " 4 " "

" 12 " " 5 " "

WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.

Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

### NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Registered in London under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.

Established in Calcutta 29th September, 1865.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....£300,000.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£150,000.

RESERVE FUND.....£150,000.

HEAD OFFICE:—89, THEBENEDICTINE STREET, LONDON, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS:—NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND, NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Interest allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance; and on FIXED DEPOSITS according to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent. per annum.

R. HORNE BOYD, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, May 24, 1880.

### COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th of 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION of 30th April, 1863.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP.....£3,200,000.

RESERVE FUND.....£800,000.

HEAD OFFICE:—14, Rue de la Paix, PARIS.

AGENTS AND BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOURBON, SAN FRANCISCO, MANILA, BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, SHANGHAI, HANKOW, HARTER, SHANGHAI, HONGKONG.

LONDON BANKERS:—THE BANK OF ENGLAND, THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking and Exchange Business.

E. G. VOULLEMONT, Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....5,000,000 Dollars.

RESERVE FUND.....1,600,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—The Hon. W. KESWICK.

Deputy Chairman—A. MOLVER, Esq.

ADOLF ARNDT, Esq.

H. R. BARTON, Esq.

H. L. DARTMOUTH, Esq.

H. D. G. FORBES, Esq.

H. HOPKINS, Esq.

F. D. SASSOON, Esq.

W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong.....THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

Shanghai.....EWEY CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS:—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " " 4 " "

" 12 " " 5 " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY entered into PARTNERSHIP as SHARE and GENERAL BROKERS, under the Style of "CHARTER & VERNON."

J. THRO. CHATER.

J. Y. VERNON.

Hongkong, June 1, 1880.

### NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY entered into PARTNERSHIP as SHARE and GENERAL BROKERS, under the Style of "COHEN AND GEORG."

CHAS. O. COHEN.

ERICH GEORG.

Hongkong, May 17, 1880.

### NOTICE.

MR. O. STIEBEL has TO-DAY been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama.

REISS & Co.

Hongkong, May 1, 1880.

### NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

## For Sale.

### FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$10 per 1 doz. Case.

Halfs.....\$15 per 3 doz. "

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

### FOR SALE.

A. RAUTERT, MAYNIZ.

DELICIOUS TABLE BEER;

AWARDED FIRST PRIZE MEDAL, SYDNEY EXHIBITION.

SANDER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 18, 1880.

### WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office. Price, 41 each.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

### TO BE SOLD OR LET.

A BUNGALOW on one of the best Hill Sites, on the northern slope of Mount Kailash, commanding the best views on all sides.

It is substantially constructed, and is of Brick and Stone; contains Verandahs on all sides; a Large Entrance Hall, Dining Room, Drawing Room, Break Room, three Bed Rooms (with Bath Room attached to each); Dressing Room, English Kitchen, handily fitted and well supplied; a Dining Room, which may be used as a Bed Room, Sanitary Room, Godown for Coal, &c., and OUT-DOORS.

For further Particulars, apply to E. A. WOOLNOUTH, Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, May 18, 1880.

### TO BE LET or SOLD.

BUILDING, BATHING, LAUNDRY, TANNING, and GARDEN SITE, at KOWLOON.

Apply to "HONGKONG DISPENSARY."

Hongkong, May 18, 1880.

## For Sale.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED Ex "GLENORORY," &c.

RACQUET and TENNIS SHOES.

FRENCH KID and CALF SUMMER SHOES.

DAWSON'S CALF BOOTS and SHOES.

New Shapes in DRAB and Black FELTS.

Fine and Coarse STRAWS.

Calcutta WITH HATS and HELMETS.

PERFUMERY and TOILET SOAPS.

Prickly Heat and Carbolic SOAP.

Toilet BRUSHES and COMBS.

Turkish TOWELS.

English and American PLAYING CARDS.

READING LAMPS, Double and Single.

READING LAMPS, with Storm Burners.

American FIRE GRATES, fitted with Summer Fronts.

LAWN MOWER.

Silicated CARBON FILTERS.

DINNER and DESSERT SERVICES.

TABLE and FANCY GLASSWARE.

KASHA-HIND, ALGERIEN and LITTLE DAVIL CIGARETTES.

"General Pol." CIGARS.

MARIA CIGARS and CIGARETTES.

Cut GOLD LEAF TOBACCO.

MERRECHAUM PIPES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS.

COIR MATS and MATTING.

ICE CHEST.

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CASH'S FRICTION TOWELS.

Walnut Stationery CASES and INK STANDS.

MORDANT'S PRESSES, Letter and Foolscap Size.

Postal BALANCES and Family SCALES.

CHIT BOOKS; with and without Covers.

MOLLISCORUM for Harness.

BILLIARD CUES, Tires and Tip Fasteners.

English and American PLAYING CARDS.

READING LAMPS, Double and Single.

READING LAMPS, with Storm Burners.

American FIRE GRATES, fitted with Summer Fronts.

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## For Sale.

**MacEwen, Frickel & Co.**  
HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM  
"AMERICAN MAIL."

Codfish BALLS.  
Pig's Head CHEESE.  
Devilled HAM.  
Compressed HAM.  
OVIARE.  
California Golden SYRUP.

Also,  
Merritt's OIL.  
Whittaker's HAMS.  
COMB HONEY in Frame and  
Bottle.  
Very Fine Eastern CREAM  
CHEESE.

Pickled OX-TONGUES.  
Pickled PIG FORT.  
Boneless CODFISH.  
Salmon BELLIES.  
MACKEREL.

Green TURTLE, 1lb. and 2lb. Tins.  
Borden's Condensed MILK (very fresh).  
California BISCUITS in Cask and Tin.  
Ginger CAKES.

Milk BISCUITS.  
Soda BISCUITS.  
Wafer BISCUITS.  
Alphabet BISCUITS.  
Oyster BISCUITS.

CORNMEAL.  
RYE MEAL.  
BOMINY, Small and Large.  
Cracked WHEAT.  
OATMEAL.

SHELLDACK.  
PEAN, and  
BARCELONA NUTS.

Canned Table Fruits.  
Bartlett PEARS.  
PEACHES.  
GREENGAGES.  
APRICOTS.  
QUINCES.  
do., do.

Late Arrivals.  
ROYAL BRISTOL GINGER ALE,  
in Pint Bottles.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S  
HOUSEHOLD STORES.

JOHN MOIR & Sons'  
CELEBRATED PRESERVES.

CHUBB'S PADLOCKS,  
TIN LOCKS,  
BOX LOCKS,  
CUPBOARD LOCKS,  
do., do.

American PADLOCKS, and  
Builder's LOCKS.

JOSEPH RODGER & Sons' Table  
OUTLERY.

Combination Champagne KNIVES,  
Pocket KNIVES,  
SOISSONS,  
RAZORS,  
do., do.

BURNEY'S PATENT PNEUMATIC GUN.  
ALUMINUM Gold PEN and PENCIL  
CASES.

Billiard CHALK and CUE TIPS.  
Wellington's Knife POLISH.  
PLATE POWDER.  
Metallic TAPE LINES.

A Large Assortment of  
FANCY and OFFICE  
STATIONERY.

Superfine Note PAPER, from 50 Cents per  
Box, of 5 Quires.

ENVELOPES, from 20 Cents per Hundred.  
FOOLSCAP.

Letter PAPER.  
Blotting PAPER.

Printing PAPER.  
Drawing PAPER.  
Blank BOOKS.

Copying BOOKS.  
OIL PAPER.  
Drying PAPER.

Blotting PADS.  
PENS.

INK.  
AND ALL OFFICE  
REQUISITES.

N.B.—Our Papers and Envelopes are im-  
ported direct from Manufactory, and  
the quality for price is unsurpassed,  
if not unequalled in Hongkong.

NOVELS! NOVELS! NOVELS!!!

WORKS OF REFERENCE,  
SCHOOL BOOKS,  
SCIENTIFIC  
WORKS,  
do., do.

Very Fine "Cable Coil" TOBACCO.  
"Empress of India," and  
Best "Navy" in Stock.

OIGARS,  
CAVARE,  
PRINOESSA,  
FORTIN, and  
MEISIG.

CHEEBOOTS, CAVARE, and PRINOESSA.

SHIPS' STORES of every Description,  
HERM, and COTTON CANVAS.

RUSSIAN, MANILA, and WIRE ROPE.  
SAIL-MAKING, and RIGGING promptly  
executed.

Hongkong, May 15, 1880.

## Mails.

## NOTICE.

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

## MARITIMES.

## PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

## STEAM FOR

## SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

## POINT DE GALLE,

## ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT

## SAID, NAPLES, AND

## MARSEILLES;

## BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND

## PORT LOUIS.

## ON MONDAY, the 7th day of June,

## 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S.

## IRAOUADY, Commandant GAUVIN,

## with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIM,

## and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

## above places.

## Cargo and Specie will be registered for

## London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-

## cepted in transit through Marseilles for the

## principal places of Europe.

## Shipping Orders will be granted until

## Noon.

## Cargo will be received on board until

## 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on

## the 6th of June, 1880. (Parcels are to

## be sent on board; they must be left

## at the Agency's Office.)

## Contents and value of Packages are re-

## quired.

## For further particulars, apply at the

## Company's Office.

## G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

## Agent.

## Hongkong, May 25, 1880. je7

## U. S. MAIL LINE.

## PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP

## COMPANY.

## THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA

## OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING

## AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

## THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF

## PEKING will be despatched for

## San Francisco, via Yokohama, on MON-

## DAY, the 7th June, at 1 p.m., taking

## Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the

## United States, and Europe.

## Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-

## portation to Yokohama and other Japan

## Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and

## Inland Cities of the United States via Over-

## land and Railways, to Havre, Trinidad, and

## Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central

## and South America by the Company's and

## connecting Steamers.

## Through Passage Tickets granted to

## England, France, and Germany by all

## transatlantic lines of Steamers.

## Freight will be received on board until 2

## p.m., the 6th June. Parcel Packages

## will be received at the office until 5 p.m.

## same day; all Parcel Packages should be

## marked to address in full; value of same

## is required.

## Consular Invoices to accompany Overland

## Cargo should be sent to the Company's

## Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the

## Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

## For further information as to Passage

## and Freight, apply to the Agency of the

## Company, No. 5, Praya Central.

## RUSSELL &amp; Co., Agents.

## Hongkong, May 22, 1880. je7

## MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP

## COMPANY.

## STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE

## AND INLAND SEA.

## THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain

## HUBERT, due here on or about the

## 7th June, will be despatched as above

## on SATURDAY, the 12th June, at Day-

## light.

## Cargo received on board and Parcels at

## the Office up to 6 p.m. of 11th June.

## No Bill of Lading signed under \$2

## Freight.

## All Claims must be settled on board

## before delivery is taken, otherwise they

## will not be recognized.

## RATES OF PASSAGE.

## To KOBE.....Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15.

## YOKOHAMA &amp; NAGASAKI.....Do. \$75. Do. 20.

## A Reduction is made on RETURN CARDS.

## CARGO AND PASSENGERS for Nagasaki

## will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail

## Steamer at Kobe.

## For further Particulars, apply at the

## Company's OFFICES, No. 501, QUEEN'S

## ROAD CENTRAL.

## Hongkong, May 31, 1880. je12

## Occidental &amp; Oriental Steam-

## Ship Company.

## TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND

## PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED

## STATES AND EUROPE,

## IN CONNECTION WITH THE

## CENTRAL

## and

## UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING

## RAILROAD COMPANIES

## AND

## ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

## THE S. S. GALLIC will be despatched

## for San Francisco via Yokohama,

## on or about the 1st July, 1880, at

## 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for

## Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central

## and South America, and Europe.

## Connection is made at Yokohama, with

## Steamers from Shanghai.

## Freight will be received on Board until

## 4 p.m. of the 30th June. PARCEL

## PACKAGES will be received at the Office

## until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages

## should be marked to address in full; value

## of same is required.

## A Reduction is made on RETURN PAS-

## SSENGER TICKETS.

## Consular Invoices to accompany Over-

## land Cargo, should be sent to the Company's

## Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs,

## San Francisco.

## For further information as to Freight

## or Passage, apply to the Agency of the

## Company, No. 5, Queen's Road Central.

## G. B. EMORY, Agent.

## Hongkong, June 1, 1880. je1

## Mails.

## NOTICE.

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

## MARITIMES.

## PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

## STEAM FOR

## SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE

## GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA,

## BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-

## TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-

## AMPTON, AND LONDON;

## ALSO,

## BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

## AUSTRALIA.

## THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

## NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship

## PESHAWUR, Captain REYNOLDS, will

## leave this on MONDAY, the 14th June,

## at 6 p.m.

## For further Particulars, apply to

## A. MEYER, Superintendent.

## Hongkong, June 3, 1880. je14

## Insurances.

## YANGTZE INSURANCE

## ASSOCIATION.

## CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000

## PERMANENT RESERVE.....Tls. 230,000

## SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 253,268

## TOTAL CAPITAL AND AC-

## CUMULATIONS, 8th

## April, 1880.....Tls. 913,268

## Directors.

## F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.

## W. M. BOYD, Esq., Wm. MEYER, Esq.,

## J. H. FINCH, Esq., F. D. HITCH, Esq.,

## Esq.

## HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

## Messrs RUSSELL &amp; Co., Secretaries.

## LONDON BRANCH:

## Messrs BARKING BROTHERS &amp; Co.,

## Bankers.

## RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,

## 8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.C.

## Policies granted on Marine Risks to all

## parts of the World.

## Subject to a charge of 12 1/2 per cent. for

## Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS

## of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are an-

## nually distributed among all Contributors

## of Business in proportion to the Premium

## paid by them.

## RUSSELL &amp; Co.,

## Agents.

## Hongkong, May 11, 1880. je10

## ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

## The Underigned, Agents for the above

## Company, are prepared to grant In-

## surances at current rates.

## MELORES &amp; Co.,

## Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

## Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

## MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

## COMPANY OF

## MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

## ESTABLISHED 1824.

## Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling

## of which is paid up £ 100,000 "

## Reserve Fund upwards of £ 150,000 "

## Annual Income £ 250,000 "

## THE Underigned have been appointed

## Agents for the above Company at

## Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai,

## and Hankow, and are prepared to grant

## Insurances at current rates.

## HOLLIDAY, WISE &amp; Co.

## Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

## LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

## COMPANY.

## (FIRE AND LIFE.)

## CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

## THE Underigned are prepared to grant

## Policies against the Risk of FIRE on

## Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on

## Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of

## Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms

## and Conditions.

## Proposals for Life Insurances will be re-

## ceived, and transmitted to the Directors

## for their decision.

## If required, protection will be granted on

## first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

## Life.

## For Rates of Premiums, terms of pro-

## posals or any other information, apply to

## ARNOLD, KARBURG &amp; Co.,

## Agents, Hongkong &amp; Canton.

## Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

## THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

## COMPANY, LIMITED.

## HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

## AGENTS at all the Treaty Ports of

## China and Japan, and at Singapore,

## Batavia, and Penang.

## Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance

## granted at the rates of Premium current at

## the above mentioned Ports.

## NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.

## JAS. B. COUGHRAN,

## Secretary.



## THE KOREAN QUESTION

Information has been received to the effect that the Russian mission sent to Kyushu

The Earl of Salisbury, who is the only one of the British nobility who has not yet visited the United States, is expected to leave for America in the near future. The Earl is a member of the House of Lords, and is one of the most prominent figures in the British aristocracy. He is known for his long and distinguished career in the House of Commons, where he served for many years. He is also a member of the Privy Council, and has held several important offices in the British government. The Earl is a man of great energy and ability, and is widely respected for his contributions to the country. He is expected to have a very successful visit to the United States, and to be well received by the American people.

Do. 1 P.M. ....	81
Do. 4 P.M. ....	—
Do. (Wet bulb) 6 A.M. ....	78
Do. Do. 1 P.M. ....	80
Do. Do. 4 P.M. ....	—
Do. Maximum over night	82
Do. Minimum over night	78











